

## JUDGE ADVOCATE PUTS OIL LEASE UP TO CONGRESS

SAYS ACT, JUNE,  
1920 MADE LEASE  
ABSOLUTELY LEGALCommittee is Told Ex-  
Sec. Fall is Near  
Nerve Collapse.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Jan. 30.—Rear Admiral Latimer, Judge Advocate General of the Navy, told the house naval committee today that in December 1921, he informed Secretary Denby it would be legal to enter into a contract with the Doheny interests for the construction of tankage at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, as a part of their lease to the California naval oil reserve.

He said he based his opinion on authority granted the Department by congress in June, 1920, to exchange oil and provide storage facilities. This authority it was brought out, was granted at the request of Josephus Daniels, then secretary of the navy.

Mr. Denby on Dec. 5, 1921, the witness said, wrote on the margin of the opinion, opposite the section discussing exchange and storage of oil: "Do this. E. D."

The committee also examined Rear Admiral Gregory who told of the contracts by which the Pan-American Petroleum & Transport Co. was to build the storage tanks.

No New Legislation.  
Since passage of legislation in June 1920, Admiral Gregory said, no new authority has been given the navy department by congress for construction of oil tanks.

"As the basis for the California and Wyoming reserve leases," asked Representative Britten, republican, Illinois, "was the amendment to the appropriation bill supported by Secretary Daniels?"

"They never would have been entered into," replied the admiral, "if that amendment had not been adopted."

Prior to further questioning about the Sinclair and Doheny construction, Admiral Gregory said he knew that every precaution had been taken to insure to the government honest expenditure of funds.

After hearing a part of his testimony the committee adjourned until tomorrow.

Secretary Denby did not appear at today's hearing.

Both republican and democratic leaders in the senate pressed for a vote today on the Walsh oil lease amendment resolution. Debate was renewed immediately after the senate convened.

The investigation into the leasing of oil reserves has shown clearly, Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, asserted, that "from the beginning there has been an utter disregard of the government policy as laid down by congress and of the laws enacted to carry out that policy."

Hits Mr. Fall  
Violation of law as presented in the present instance, Senator Norris declared, eventually would lead to a rule by despots and tyrants.

There could be no doubt, he argued, that the leases and contracts made by Secretary Fall after the "illegal" transfer of jurisdiction to him, were "as void of legality as the original order of transfer."

"Turning to the testimony given before the investigating committee he discussed the statements of E. B. McLean, Washington publisher. The testimony of Fall and McLean regarding a \$100,000 loan by the publisher to the former secretary was characterized by Mr. Norris as a "cock and bull story."

"It was an attempt of Fall to shield himself from further investigation which would show," Senator Norris declared, "that he was a liar all the way through."

"I have looked with humiliation," the senator continued "upon the fact that so many of our officials have gone out of their way to hobnob with Mr. McLean. You know with what humiliation we looked when the president of the United States just elected to that office, came to Washington and made his home in this man's house."

Fall Very Ill  
Physicians attending A. B. Fall told the senate oil committee today that he is in no condition to appear and testify.

The hearing was behind closed doors. It was learned that the doctors related that Mr. Fall had remained in his room continuously since his arrival Thursday night, had shown little if any improvement and had reached a stage of nervous exhaustion, threatening collapse.

Committee members questioned the witnesses at length regarding the cause of his condition, but the replies were not made public. The physicians insisted that it would be inadvisable under all circumstances to attempt to take the former Interior Secretary to the capital for questioning. The purpose of the hearing was to enable the committee to decide whether it would call Mr. Fall before it, or examine him in his sick room.

While the physicians were being examined, E. L. Doheny arrived at the (Continued on Page Two)

## IS FOUND GUILTY



WM. H. ANDERSON

State Supt. of the New York Anti-Saloon League who was found guilty late yesterday afternoon by a jury of forgery. It is expected he will appeal the case before Feb. 8, the date set for pronouncement of sentence.

FORMER DIXON  
PHYSICIAN IS  
DEAD IN QUINCYDr. Samuel H. Green is  
Victim of Senility at  
Soldiers' Home.

Dr. Samuel H. Green, for many years a practicing physician at Dixon, died at the Soldiers' Home at Quincy at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, death resulting from senility. The remains were sent to Walnut, Bureau Co., where funeral services will be held tomorrow.

Dr. Green came to Dixon from Yorktown many years ago and followed his profession here until his advancing age made it necessary for him to retire. About six years ago he went to the Soldiers' Home, where he continued to reside until his death. His wife passed away here a number of years ago and his only son, Stacey M. Green, died in Freeport a few years since.

During the Civil War the doctor was a private in Company H, 11th Ind. Mounted Infantry, enlisting Feb. 3, 1864. He was discharged at Macon, Ga., August 8, 1865.

Griffis is Released  
from German Prison

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Jan. 30.—C. W. Griffis, the American who attempted to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdall in Germany, has been released from prison by the German government, the State department was advised today.

It is understood that the Berlin government acted after it had been informed of sentiment in the United States. Griffis will be returned at once to the United States. The State department's cable from the Berlin embassy merely reported his release, adding that he would take first available transportation home.

## STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Ole Anderson, 810 East Chamberlain street, was struck by an automobile Monday evening about 6:30 at the intersection of Galena avenue and Fellows street and received painful injuries. It was stated this morning that the right ankle was fractured. Alexander Knick, who was driving the car, stated that two cars were going in opposite directions and that Mr. Anderson apparently became confused in walking across the street. The knocker of the Knick car struck him, fendering him down, and it is thought that the front wheel passed over one of his legs. Mr. Knick stopped and took the injured man to his home.

\$25,000 Stake for  
Race at Kalamazoo

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 30.—A \$25,000 American derby for 2-year-olds, said to be the largest stake ever offered in a harness event in this country, will be a feature of the five day Grand Circuit meeting that starts here July 21.

NEWSPAPERS TO BE  
GIVEN FIRST CLASS  
TREATMENT IN MAILNew Order Effective on  
Friday to Hustle Up  
Paper Deliveries.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Jan. 30.—Beginning Friday newspapers will be accorded the same treatment in the mails as letters and other first class matter by an order made public today by Postmaster General New.

"The order," said Mr. New, "means much to the American public. It is one of the most important and far-reaching steps in postoffice history. It is for the benefit of those who desire to have their newspapers placed before them at as early a moment as possible. This should keep both the city and rural population in closer and quicker touch with their several fields of activities."

Under the new system newspapers will be made up in separate sacks plainly labeled "newspapers." If there are only a few copies at the point of dispatch they will be placed in pouches with first class mail or in separate sacks even though the sacks are only partly filled. The order stipulates that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcel post at any point in their dispatch.

Postmasters are required to notify publishers in each instance when deliveries do not catch the dispatch which they are advertised to catch; also to notify publishers when they are sending their publications to wrong addresses and to addresses of deceased persons. Publishers will be notified when they are putting up their mail in an incorrect manner.

The order applies to daily and weekly newspapers. It stipulates that all sacks of newspapers when received in postoffices must be segregated promptly and the contents distributed and dispatched to the proper stations for delivery by carriers on the earliest post trips.

Warned to Watch for  
Counterfeit Passers

The police of Northern Illinois have been warned to be on the lookout for five men traveling in a small touring car, who are flooding every city through which they pass with counterfeit \$10 bills. The five were last reported speeding toward Aurora, after having passed a score or more of the bills in La Grange. The leader of the party is described as a 6 feet tall, weight about 200 pounds, and was wearing a brown overcoat and black hat. No descriptions of the other four men were received here.

The numbers of the counterfeit bills, appearing on the right side of the face is BB-333.

Gasoline filling stations and merchants were the victims in La Grange, where the leader of the gang made some small purchases and secured the change for the bills he presented.

Agricultural Meet  
at Capital Monday

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Jan. 30.—While members of congress continued work on farm relief measures today, administrative officials went forward with plans for the agricultural conference here Monday. More than 60 representatives of interests affected by the agricultural situation have been invited by President Coolidge to attend. The list was selected with a view to assembling the ideas of farmers, agricultural colleges, merchants, manufacturers, bankers, chambers of commerce and transportation insurance and mortgage companies.

Circuit Clerk of  
Jo Daviess to Quit

Walter J. Ehrler, clerk of the circuit court of Jo Daviess county, has resigned his position to take effect Jan. 31. Mr. Ehrler resigned in order to become postmaster at Galena, he having recently been appointed to that position.

Judge Heard and Judge Harry Edwards, after a conference, appointed Scott Carson, who has been a deputy clerk in the county court at Galena, to become circuit clerk to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Ehrler. The law provides for the filling of such vacancies through appointment by the circuit judges of the circuit.

Close City Building  
for Whetstein Rites

In respect to the late Edmond J. Whetstein, veteran member of the police force, Mayor Frank D. Palmer this morning ordered that all offices in the city hall building be closed from 9:30 until 12 tomorrow morning, during the hour of the funeral. The members of the city council will attend the funeral in a body. The services at the grave will be in charge of Dixon lodge, No. 779, B. P. O. Elks of which the deceased was one of its oldest members.

## FIND HEADS ENCASED IN CONCRETE



Searching this rubbish pile at Aurora, Ill., police, directed by Warren Lincoln, found the block of concrete in which were encased the heads of Lincoln's wife and her brother, Byron Shoup. Mrs. C. H. Jochum is pointing to spot where concrete block was found. Lincoln is charged with killing the pair, burning the dismembered bodies in his greenhouse furnace and disposing of the heads in this manner.

INQUEST SHOWS  
NO VIOLENCE IN  
WOMAN'S DEATHMrs. McGarvie Victim  
of Heart Trouble,  
Jury Declares.

Coroner Samuel J. Whetstone came to Dixon yesterday afternoon at the request of Supervisor Joseph Whitlisk and conducted an inquisition in the death of Mrs. Ophelia Mae McGarvie. A jury composed of David H. Spencer, George Stalnbrook, Phil O'Connell, James Buckley, Fred G. Dimick and C. P. Beardsley was impaneled and listened to the testimony of several witnesses. Attorney John E. Erwin appeared at the inquest, which was conducted at the city hall, for E. H. Hess and Fred McGarvie, State Attorney Mark C. Keller assisted the Coroner in the examination of witnesses.

The jury began its investigations about 4 o'clock and continued until after 7 last evening, when a verdict of death due to acute dilatation of the heart was rendered. The testimony of several witnesses tended to show that E. H. Hess and Fred McGarvie were sitting in the living room at the latter's home, visiting and drinking wine, when Mrs. McGarvie opened the door, started as if to speak and fell to the floor. It was also divulged that Mr. Hess assisted with the application of first aid treatment.

Ordered Police Away.  
Fred McGarvie, the husband admitted having ordered the police from the house, stating that Officer Winters, "was in the road." Clinton Holderman, a brother-in-law of McGarvie, testified that he went to the house before the police arrived and that McGarvie opened the door and ordered him out. He did not return until the police arrived in response to a call sent in by his wife.

After the witnesses had testified, State Attorney Keller asked Coroner Whetstone to make a statement concerning his investigation Sunday. The coroner told of coming to Dixon, going to the McGarvie home and making an investigation and ordering Dr. E. A. Sickels to issue the death certificate. He added that at the time he did not believe that an inquest was necessary.

Auto Production in  
December Decreased

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Jan. 30.—A slight seasonal decrease of 3.1 percent in the production of automobiles during December compared with November 1923 was noted by the monthly business condition report of the Chicago Federal Reserve Bank. The output of trucks remained almost the same. Consumption of iron and steel by 26 casting foundries in the district continued to decline during December the report said.

## LEWIS' FORCES WON

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 30.—(By The Associated Press)—Unofficial tabulations gave the administration forces of the United Mine Workers of America a majority of 119 votes on the roll call of the delegates to the biennial convention and retained to them the appointive powers of the organization. The unofficial vote was 2,129 in favor of retaining the present section of the constitution which permits the administration to appoint organizers and other officials and 2,001 against.

## THE WEATHER

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30, 1924

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
ILLINOIS: IOWA: Fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

CHICAGO and VICINITY: Fair tonight and Thursday; continued mild; lowest temperature near freezing.

WISCONSIN: Fair tonight, Thursday increasing cloudiness, not much change in temperature.

KIWANIAN'S HEAR  
PROF. WEISS OF  
SCHOOL FACULTYSpoke on Vocational  
Education; Ladies'  
Night Planned.

Prof. John Weiss instructor in agriculture of the Dixon high school faculty, gave a very interesting talk before the Kiwanis club Tuesday noon on the subject of "Vocational Training." The speaker outlined briefly the Smith-Hughes bill which provides for the maintenance of instructors of agriculture in the high schools of the country, and explained that through the activity of ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden, Illinois was one of the first states to arrange for this course of instruction in the high schools.

The speaker outlined several instances in the three years the work has been in progress in the Dixon high school in which the knowledge of agriculture gained by members of the class has been of material aid to the farming community surrounding. At the business session of the meeting it was decided to have a Ladies' Night on the evening of Feb. 14, Valentine's day, and a committee composed of Lex Hartzell, chairman, Rev. Aubrey S. Moore and W. H. Flemming was named to have charge of the affair. On this occasion it is quite probable that the Kiwanians and their ladies will enjoy an illustrated lecture furnished by the National Department of Parks, entitled, "America's Wonderland."

Friendship Marked  
Bloomington Battle

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 30.—Coach Rollie Williams, the Millikin basketball team, faculty members, alumni and students returned from Bloomington Tuesday night, singing the praise of the sportsmanship shown between the Millikin and Wesleyan in the first of the two game basketball series won by the Methodists, 25-21.

Following the unfortunate incident in the football game here last November, it seemed to mean the severing of relations between the two old rivals, but the cage game played before 1500 fans demonstrated that athletic contests between the two schools can be carried on in the right manner.

## HOLDS MCCRAY BANKRUPT

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Frankfort, Ind., Jan. 30.—Governor W. T. McCray is adjudged a bankrupt in the report of Harry C. Sheridan, federal master in chancery, who recently conducted a hearing on the petition of three Fort Wayne banks. The report was made public today. Mr. Sheridan held that McCray is not a farmer nor a laborer and therefore not exempt from the federal laws governing involuntary bankruptcy proceedings.

JUDGE REFUSES  
TO CLOSE HOME  
OF F. CATALINAPlea of City Attorney  
for Injunction Has  
Been Denied.

The first injunction that has been issued by a court in Lee county for the violation of the state and federal liquor laws, was imposed yesterday afternoon by Judge Oscar E. Heard in the circuit court against Frank Catalina and wife, residing at 114 Noble avenue. In the proceeding brought by the city, the bill for injunction which sought to have the premises closed for a period of one year, was denied. Judge Heard did not approve of the closing of a private residence, stating that he did not believe the law meant to deprive any individual or family of their home, but adding that in cases of outbuildings, barns or store rooms, he believed the provision was applicable.

Attorney Wingert suggested the invoking of a permanent injunction against Frank Catalina, restraining him from selling or disposing of intoxicating liquor at his residence under a bond of \$10,000. Judge Heard granted the permanent injunction but disapproved of the exorbitant bond. Witnesses testified at the hearing of having purchased liquor of Frank Catalina, his wife and daughter, Jennie, who is now married and has moved away from Dixon.

Bryan Says G. O. P.  
is Sitting on "Oil  
Fire" of Intensity

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 30.—W. J. Bryan thrust his penetrating lance into the Teapot Dome quiz here Tuesday.

"The republican party is sitting over an oil fire," he said, "there is no telling when it will scorch or where it will spread."

"It is the greatest sensation had in politics in a long, long time, both because of the magnitude of the scheme and the high positions of those interested."

"The real importance of the thing does not depend on criminal conviction of any participant. The big point is that it serves as an illustration of the tendency of republican leaders. It discloses their bias in favor of 'big business,' big corporations and rich men as against the masses."

Committee at Cross  
Roads on Revenues

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Jan. 30.—Republican members of the house Ways and Means committee came to the cross roads today in their consideration of the new revenue bill and were confronted with the necessity of deciding whether the income rates, the heart of the tax measure, are to be fixed in full committee or among themselves. The latter road presented the additional problem of determining the extent of difference between the rates they would name and those specifically recommended by Secretary Mellon.

## SHORT COUNCIL MEET.

A short session of the city council was held last evening, a few bills being laid, a short discussion of minor importance taking place and the body adjourned.

Just Off the  
Wire From  
Here and There.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

CLEVELAND, O.—Democratic women from seven mid-western states, here for their "school of democracy" were continuing efforts to formulate plans to bring victory to their party in 1924. The intricacies of party organization, methods of getting information to the voters and all the elements that go to make up a national campaign were being explained.

LONDON.—The Daily Herald says no hitch has developed in the government's preparations to reorganize Soviet Russia, that the matter has already been decided and that reports to the contrary deliberately misrepresent the ministry's intention.

CHATTANOOGA.—Two unmasked bandits, who held up the Farmers Bank at Jasper, Tenn., and escaped with \$10,000, were captured ten miles away by a posse.

WASHINGTON.—President Coolidge has under consideration a proposal that Henry F. Fletcher, new ambassador to Belgium, be transferred to Rome to succeed Richard Washburn Child, who has resigned. The proposal also contemplates appointment of William Phillips, under secretary of State, as ambassador to Belgium.

WASHINGTON.—The Federal Reserve Board reported 823 savings banks held deposits of \$6,913,252,000 on Jan. 1 or \$575,324,000 more than a year ago.

CHICAGO.—In connection with the celebration of his sixtieth birthday, C. W. Nash, automobile manufacturer, here attending the automobile show, announced the purchase of the Mitchell Motor Car Company plants and realty at Racine.

NEW YORK.—"My brother Quentin was probably killed because his airplane was not a good airplane," Theodore Roosevelt said in a speech. The doctrine of pacifists and preachers of disarmament, he said, made him so mad he could "jump up and down and scream."

DETROIT.—Mrs. Mary Hansen watches at the bedside of her son Joseph, here, after walking more than 1000 miles from Sioux Falls, S. D. to take care of him. Three weeks ago she received word that her son was ill in Detroit. She started out on foot and with the aid of motorists arrived last yesterday.

WASHINGTON.—J. L. Phillips, republican state chairman of Georgia, and nine others indicted in connection with the sale of surplus lumber from army cantonments must stand trial, the supreme court of the District of Columbia held in overruling the demurrers to their indictment.

## FORMER DIXONITE DEAD.

Liberty Levi Hefley, former well-known resident of Dixon, passed away at his home in Sterling early last evening, death resulting from an illness of pneumonia. He leaves to mourn his passing, his aged wife, who is also quite ill, one daughter, Mrs. Harvey Sennett, and one son, George Hefley of this city. The obituary and funeral announcement will be published later.

DIG IN PIG STY  
AND HOT BEDS TO  
FIND TWO BODIESLincoln Says He is Unable  
to Recall Their  
Disposal.

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Aurora, Ill., Jan. 30.—The inquest summoned by Coroner Horton of Kane county to inquire into the deaths of Mrs. Lina Lincoln and her brother, Byron Shoup, will be held in the city hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and will be open to the public. Mrs. Lincoln's eccentric husband, Warren, the lawyer florist, who has confessed that he shot and killed the two and placed their heads in a concrete block, will be called to the stand but will not be compelled to testify if he objects. Chief of Police Michels said this afternoon.

The chief said the heads would be viewed by the jury but that Lincoln would not be forced to look at them.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Aurora, Ill., Jan. 30.—Digging for the lost bodies of Mrs. Warren Lincoln and her brother was resumed this morning at the Lincoln farm on the Indian Trail. First of the places to be spaded up were the hot beds just outside the greenhouse although Lincoln told Chief of Police Michels that it was not there that he had buried the headless remains, if he interred them at all. It was at the hot beds, however, that Lincoln was working last spring when he abruptly stopped in his labors and began a recital of a claimed discovery that he had made which caused his wife and Shoup to flee the place, the January before. At the time he was telling the story the cement block in which he had placed their heads was holding up a corner of his back porch.

A half dozen prisoners paroled from the city jail for the work dug in the hot beds, but made slow progress. The earth was soft as a result of the recent thaw, but was extremely sticky. In three hours the spade dug was not much more than 20 feet long, 3 feet wide and 2 to 3 feet deep. The hot beds cover an area 30 by 100 feet.

Dig In Pig Sty  
Another group of workers directed by the police continued digging started yesterday in a pig sty.

It was in this pen that Lincoln said he might have placed the bodies because there the ground was soft despite it was winter.

If the bodies are not found in the hot beds or the pig pen they will be sought in other places on the farm where ground was sheltered from the weather by ash piles or other covering. Chief Michels is of the opinion that as the digging proceeds there will be helpful hints from Lincoln.

A concrete base for open wooden steps, which lead from the outside to the cellar of the Lincoln bungalow, was to have been cracked open today but was given up at least temporarily when Lincoln and his brother, Edward, said that the foundation was in place when Warren took the house. The two declared that their statements could be confirmed by inquiring of Frank Harrell who owned the property of the former tenant.

Anderson, New York  
Dry Chief, Found  
Guilty of Forgery

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
New York, Jan. 30.—Dry leaders today estimated W. H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of New York, convicted by jury last night of third degree forgery, probably would appeal before February 8, the date set for pronouncement of sentence.

Anderson received unflinchingly the verdict which was returned after the jury had deliberated an hour and 40 minutes. With the consent of the prosecutor, bail of \$5,000 was continued.

The extreme statutory penalty for the conviction is five years in prison, but members of the district attorney's staff asserted first offenders sometimes were given six months sentences.

Warmer Weather Has  
Ended Golf on Ice

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Jan. 30.—Just as Chicago golfers thought that they had discovered a new variety of the Scotch game by playing golf on the ice while wearing skates, warm weather stopped the sport.

Nine holes were chopped in the ice and the players putted into these holes while on skates. In addition to the putting, mashies were used to pitch the balls to a marked spot on the snow bank. It was found that the golfer could control his strokes pretty well while standing on skates and the trip after the ball was made a skating sprint.

## BASKETBALL SCORES

At Lawrence, Kan.—Kansas, 16; Missouri, 14.  
At Omaha.—Creighton, 34; North Dakota Aggies, 15.  
At Bloomington, Ill.—Wesleyans, 24; Millikin, 21.

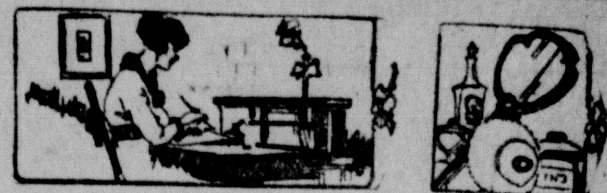








# WOMEN'S INTERESTS



## Society

**Wednesday.**  
Ladies' Aid Society — Christian Church.  
Ideal Club—Mrs. E. H. Newton, 1513 Third St.  
Aid Society Grace Evangelical Church—At Church.  
Class Initiation, L. O. O. M.—Moose Hall.

**Thursday.**  
Zion Household Science Club—Mrs. Emil Janssen.  
Baptist Aid Society—Miss Anna Pratt, 513 E. Fellows St.  
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Herbert Scott, 113 E. Boyd St.  
Annual meeting Neighbourly Class—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, 224 Chamberlain St.

**Friday.**  
O. E. S. School of Instruction—Masonic Hall.  
O. E. S. Meeting—Masonic Hall.  
Section No. 5 M. E. Aid Society—Mrs. Chas. Hintz, 615 E. Fellows St.  
North Group Sunshine Class—Mrs. O. to Belier, 213 Lincoln Way.

### A RESOLUTION FOR 1924—

I desire to radiate health, cheerfulness, sincerity, calm courage and good will. I wish to live without hate, whim, jealousy, envy or fear. I wish to be simple, honest, natural, frank, clean in mind and clean in body, unaffected, ready to say, "I do not know" if so it be. To meet all men on absolute equality. To face any obstacle and meet any difficulty unafraid and unabashed. I wish others to live their lives too, up to their highest, fullest, best. To that end I pray that I may never meddle, dictate, interfere, give advice that is not wanted, nor assist when my services are not needed. If I can help people, I'll do it by giving them a chance to help themselves, and if I can uplift or inspire, let it be by example, inference and suggestion rather than by injunction and dictation, that is to say I desire to be radiant—to radiate life.

—Elbert Hubbard.

### W. R. C. Meeting of Unusual Interest

The regular meeting of the woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the G. A. R., was one of unusual interest to all present.

After the usual business, including initiation of a candidate for membership, the president, Mrs. Ethel Brookner, announced the winner in the contest for getting members for the last year, and awarded the prize, \$5.00, to Mrs. Gus Demore, who had brought in the most applications.

A very interesting program was given in commemoration of McKinley's birthday anniversary, the first number being a piano solo by Miss Evelyn Miller, which was very much enjoyed and she kindly responded to an encore. Mrs. Charles Bishop favored the members with a vocal solo, "My Father's Flag and Mine." Everyone appreciated this number, as it is a pleasure to listen to her beautiful voice.

Miss Utley of Sterling, the Scout Master and her troop of girls scouts were present to receive the beautiful flag presented to them by the Woman's Relief Corps. Mrs. Nora Herick, Patriotic Instructor of the Corps, in a very pleasing manner, presented the flag which was received by Miss Lucy Bovey, in behalf of the Scouts, expressing their pleasure and appreciation of the gift.

Miss Utley, then told of the work of the Girl Scouts, their purpose and what it meant for the girls in forming their characters in becoming useful American citizens. She had the girls repeat the promises and laws of the Girl Scouts, to show what had to be required of a Scout. Miss Utley expressed her pleasure and appreciation in receiving the flag and of the inspiration and help it gave her in her work, to feel the spirit of co-operation and fellowship extended to them by the Corps. The girls sang several of their Scout songs, an enjoyable feature, after which Mrs. Brookner told them what a pleasure it was to have them present, and asked them to remember that the Woman's Relief Corps was always ready to help them at any time or place.

Mrs. Anna Burnham gave a very appropriate reading, "The Flag," and graciously responded to an encore with "Service Measures Success." Mrs. Burnham's offerings are always a pleasing addition to the program.

Comrade Johnson gave a few remarks, telling the Girl Scouts several instances where he had encountered the Girl Scouts on duty, and expressed his pleasure at seeing so many fine young girls banded together in the work of becoming useful American citizens and hoped they would meet with every success and strive for the high ideals for which our flag stands.

Mrs. Brookner, in her gracious way, then thanked all who had helped in making the afternoon one of pleasure and interest, and the meeting closed in regular form, everyone feeling they had enjoyed a fine afternoon of pleasure and patriotic inspiration.

### Dixon to Hear Grand Opera Feb. 3

Nothing could possibly appeal to the general public more than grand opera. Such an opportunity will be given at the Dixon Theatre Sunday, Feb. 3rd, at 2:30, and which promises to be a gala affair. Costumes have been especially prepared for this performance. The most beautiful scenes from "Il Trovatore" and "Cavalleria Rusticana" nearly in their entirety will be given. It is seldom that these old Italian standard operas can be heard in English. Great interest is manifested in the appearance of Miss Von Branner, noted harpist. Madame Hess-Burr wishes music lovers to take advantage of this rare treat. Admission is within the reach of everyone, 35 cents. Boxes are all sold.

Do not overlook the hour of the performance, 2:30, Sunday, Feb. 3rd. Come early and get good seats. Remember the crowds at previous productions that were turned away.

### Delightful Tea Tuesday Afternoon

Yesterday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock Mrs. Edward A. Sickels, Mrs. Henry C. Warner and Mrs. George E. Shaw entertained with a tea at the beautiful Bluff Park home of Mrs. Shaw. The home was radiant with a variety of lovely spring flowers. Assisting Mesdames Shaw, Sickels and

Warner during the afternoon were Mrs. Robert Warner and Mrs. Robert Shaw and Mrs. C. B. Morrison and Mrs. C. H. Todd poured during the first hour and Mrs. A. H. Tillson and Mrs. E. D. Alexander, the second hour. The tea proved a most enjoyable social event of the winter season.

### Young Women's Missionary Program

The Young Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a Japanese program and social tea Friday evening, Feb. 1st, at 7:30 o'clock at the church. The program is as follows:

Instrumental Solo  
Miss Dorothy Atkins  
Vocal Solo  
Ten Thousand Years From Now  
Miss Eva Peterson  
Violin Solo  
Traumerei Romance  
Miss Bernice Wilhelm  
Description of Japan  
Miss Josephine Whitish  
Instrumental Solo  
Fifth Nocturne  
Miss Dorothy Randall  
Recitation  
Children of Japan  
Miss Marie Blackburn  
Dialogue  
What Would You Do  
Miss Helen Linbach  
Miss Bernice Brooks  
Cornet Solo  
Old Fashioned Dear  
Jay Donald Atkins  
Instrumental Solo  
Humoresque  
Miss Bernice Good  
Dialogue  
If I Were You  
Miss Dorothy Randall  
Miss Helen Whitish  
Ladies' Quartette  
The Homeland  
Miss Marie Wilson, Miss Edna Bott, Miss Emma Ankeny, Miss Eva Peterson  
Story of Japan  
Is There No Better Way?  
Miss Ruth Bollman  
Chorus  
Christ for the World We Sing  
Instrumental Duo  
Merry Trumpeter  
Miss Dorothy Atkins  
Miss Bernice Good  
Remarks by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Walter.

An offering will be taken for the girls' school in Japan. During the social hour light refreshments will be served by girls in Japanese costumes.

### SISTER Mary's KITCHEN



BY SISTER MARY.  
COMBINING VEAL AND PORK.  
Veal and pork can be used together excellently. Veal lacks fat which is supplied by the pork and as both meats require long cooking the result is very satisfactory.

Breast of Veal.  
One breast of veal, 1 pound sausage meat or finely chopped pork, 1/2 cup rice, 1 tablespoon grated cheese, one large onion, 1 carrot, 1/2 small turnip, parsley, thyme, bayleaf, peppercorns, salt and pepper.  
Remove bones and tendons from veal and trim neatly. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and spread evenly with pork. If plain ground pork is used it should be well seasoned with salt and pepper. Roll veal tightly and bind with stout cord. Put bones and trimmings of veal in kettle, add vegetables sliced, herbs, salt and pep-

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### DANCE POSTPONED

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### DANCE

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per. Put roll of meat on top and add water to cover vegetables, but not the meat roll. Cover tightly and simmer two hours. Baste the roll frequently with the stock in the kettle and add water as necessary. Remove meat from kettle and strain stock. There should be three cups. Boil rice in salted water for 15 minutes. Drain and pour over boiling water. Drain. Return stock to kettle and bring to the boiling point. When bubbling rapidly add rice and meat and simmer, tightly covered until stock is absorbed. Remove meat and cut the cord in several places. Unbind without disturbing the shape. Arrange rice in a border on a platter, sprinkle with cheese and place roll of meat in the border. Garnish with parsley and serve.

### Luncheon Rolls.

One-half pound sausage meat, 1/2 pound finely chopped uncooked veal, 1/2 cup stale bread crumbs from soft part of loaf, 1 cup milk, 1 egg, one dessertspoon minced pickles, one teaspoon celery salt, 1 teaspoon lemon juice, 1 teaspoon scraped onion, 1/2 teaspoon paprika.

Mix meat and bread crumbs. If the sausage meat is not highly seasoned add salt with the other seasonings. Add seasonings to first mixture and blend thoroughly. Add milk and egg slightly beaten and mix well. Form into small rolls and cook until brown on all sides in bacon fat or half butter and half lard. Serve with creamed peas.

### Meat Turn-Over.

One-half pound sausage meat, 1/2 pound finely chopped veal, 1 1/2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, two tablespoons butter, 1/4 teaspoon salt, water, milk.  
Mix meat and season with salt and pepper as necessary. Add about three tablespoons of milk. Mix and sift flour, salt and baking powder. Rub in butter with tips of fingers and add water to make a soft dough. Turn onto a floured board and roll about one-half inch thick. Cut in squares. Put two tablespoons of the meat mixture on each square. Pull the corners tightly together but not the four corners right over the meat. This leaves a small opening for the steam to escape and makes the crust lighter and drier. Bake half an hour in a moderate oven.  
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### TO ENTERTAIN WITH LUNCHEON FRIDAY—

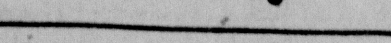
Mrs. W. S. McCloy and Miss Cochran of Sterling will entertain Friday with a luncheon. A number of Dixon women will be guests.

### SECTION NO. 5 TO MEET FRIDAY—

Section No. 5 of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Hintz, 615 East Fellows street. Members attend prepared to sew.

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### NEWS FROM DIXON



The Toastmasters' club at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday made another record attendance. The club has been having an attendance of not less than 85 per cent of its membership for several weeks now which goes to show the interest the business men are having in the club. After the supper Monday night the Edward Bok Peace Plan was discussed from different angles by Henry Hay Mr. Leydig, Mr. Byers and Mr. Weiss, and after the discussion the vote was taken when it was passed that the club endorse the plan and send its official ballot in to the peace plan headquarters.

Over one hundred boys used the Y. M. C. A. last Saturday and fully half an hour before the opening of the building boys were waiting at the door to begin the day's program. One mother told the General Secretary: "I never worry over my boy on Saturday for I always know where to find him when I want him, and also that he is under expert supervision and in the right environment when he is at the Y. M. C. A." Many mothers have paid similar tribute to the work the Y is doing for their sons.

While boys work is perhaps the big-

gest work the local Y is doing it is not the only work by any means, as is shown by last night for instance— from 3:30 to 5 o'clock the junior boys had gymnasium classes and basketball games. From 5 till 6:30 the business men had gym class and volleyball; from 6:30 till 8 the Toastmasters club was in session, from 7:30 till 9 o'clock the young men's gym class and basketball, from 7:30 till 10:30 the bowling alleys were full with tournament games, while upstairs the boys' band had their regular practice. When you realize that these are the activities going on from 3:30 till 10:30 on one day only you can get some idea of the program going on at the Y. M. C. A. this season.

Tomorrow the H.Y. club meets for its regular noonday luncheon in the boys department of the Y. Election of officers for the spring term will be the chief business. The membership of this club is now closed as it has reached its limit of 35 members. It is one of the best clubs in the Association.

The Christians swooped down on the Methodists last evening with a vengeance, defeating them by 308 pins in the church bowling tournament. The Methodists were all sadly off form, falling far short of the scores they are capable of. The Christians slipped in the second round but more than made up for this in the first and third.

Christians  
Emmert ..... 120 104 169

Stauffer ..... 156 125 121  
Detweiler ..... 138 163 177  
Flaningham ..... 209 104 143  
Hetley ..... 165 137 158

Team total ..... 773 633 773

Methodists  
Chapman ..... 148 144 111  
Scott ..... 89 114 121  
Palmer ..... 116 129 114  
Worsley ..... 136 129 114  
Caughey ..... 141 112 136

Team total ..... 630 645 601

There is no tournament game scheduled for this evening on the alleys so all three alleys will be open for individual rolling. Tomorrow evening the Kiwanis are on the boards for a match with the I. N. U. rollers.

### WHY GO HOME TO LUNCH?

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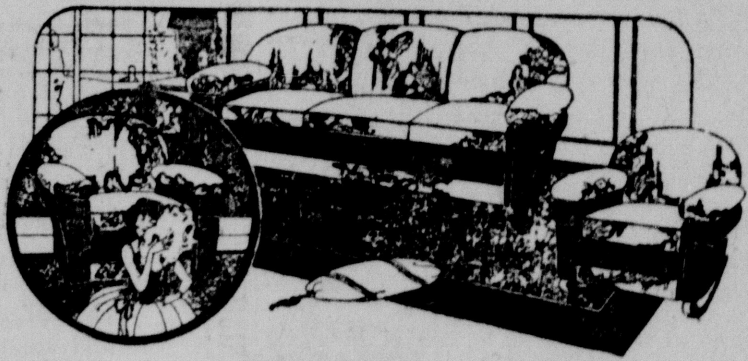
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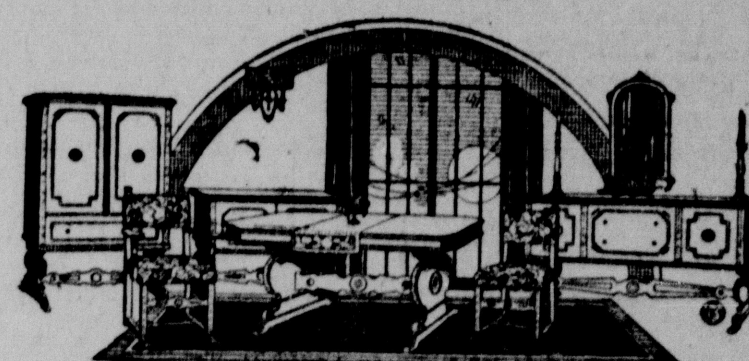
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## TROUBLES OF THE DEMOCRATS.

The platform which excluded the name of  
Lee O'Neil Browne, candidate for the Demo-  
cratic nomination for Governor, from con-  
sideration at the Democratic state conven-  
tion at Springfield Friday, viz, advocacy of  
repeal or modification of the Volstead act  
and a return to "light wines and beer," is  
strangely the first plank in the platform of  
the man who was chosen by the convention  
to head the Democratic ticket at the April  
primary, Col. A. A. Sprague, of Chicago, in-  
dorsed for United States senator.

Judge Norman L. Jones, of Carrolton, in-  
dorsed as the candidate for Governor, is an-  
nounced as a "dry."

Thus the heads of the Democratic ticket  
are divided in their views on the vital ques-  
tion of the wisdom to the gaiety of the oc-  
casions should these two candidates be on the  
stump together before the primary, as well  
as afterward, should both be nominated. In-  
cidentally, a joint debate on the subject might  
be arranged between Col. Sprague and Judge  
Jones.

While there may have been an appear-  
ance of harmony on the surface at the as-  
semblage of the Democratic brethren in  
Springfield, all is not peace within the ranks  
of our friends, the enemy, as is evidenced by  
the announcement of Wm. L. O'Connell, Mc-  
Adoo leader in the state, repudiating both the  
convention and the ticket named by it. Mr.  
O'Connell gives it out that a complete op-  
position ticket will be placed in the field at  
the primary.

Supporters of the presidential aspiration  
of Mr. McAdoo, which include former Sen-  
ator James Hamilton Lewis, ex-Gov. Edward  
F. Dunne, Mr. O'Connell and others, were ad-  
ministered rather rough treatment by the  
well-oiled Democratic steam roller at  
Springfield. The recommended delegates-  
at-large to the national convention were, of  
course, anti-McAdoo and, as a result, the  
fur will fly and there will be war to the bit-  
ter end between the factions.

Of course, the real intention of the pri-  
mary law was to permit the people to do the  
nominating but the Democratic state conven-  
tion held at Springfield was intended to save  
the voters of that party the trouble of mak-  
ing selections.

Republicans may have their differences  
but the prospect is that they will appear as  
a pink tea affair when compared with the  
warfare which has broken out in earnest in  
the ranks of our friends, the Democrats.—  
Rockford Register-Gazette.

## ED. WHETSTEIN.

The death of Ed. Whetstein, police officer  
in Dixon for about forty years, brings sad-  
ness to countless friends. The veteran po-  
liceman had a happy faculty of enforcing the  
law and making friends as well. He was  
courteous and considerate in the perform-  
ance of his official duties—traits not always  
found among men in authority.

## HEADQUARTERS.

Germany used to be the chief magnet for  
students who wanted to "get the final polish  
abroad." But the United States now is  
"finishing headquarters" for the world, 10-  
000 students a year arriving here from Eu-  
rope, Asia, Africa and South America. So  
reports Dr. Stephen P. Duggan, director of  
the Institute of International Education.

They come here from the far corners of the  
earth. Boys, who want to quit school and  
go to work, should ponder this.

## AGILE MINDS.

Two out of every five American colleges  
are using "psychological tests" to rate the  
mentality of students, says Prof. R. W. Hus-  
band, of Dartmouth.

The majority of these tests are foolishly  
based on the supposition that mental agility  
—fast thinking—is the greatest brain qual-

ity. As a matter of fact, the best brains  
move slowly, cautiously like an elephant test-  
ing the bridge ahead. Gigantic blunders like  
the World War are the result of fast thinking  
—snap judgment.

## YOUTH PROTESTS.

A young man writes, protesting at the old-  
er generation's notion that the younger gen-  
eration is "going to the dogs." He says  
truthfully that "40 cannot judge 20." And  
he adds the key of the whole situation: "If  
we do want to enjoy ourselves, it is because  
we know only too soon we will marry, and  
marriage nowadays has not much glamour  
about it. Jobs are too hard to get and keep,  
and there is not much money to be easily  
made."

You have noticed the tremendous number  
of young couples who find the pocketbook  
problem so acute that both husband and wife  
have to work. In a sense they are victims  
of men whose ambition, rather than to get  
a lot of money for themselves, is to prevent  
others from getting.

Do you remember the time when European  
rulers discouraged their people coming to  
America, instead of demanding, as Italy has  
done lately, that we should not bar out any  
Italians wanting to come over? Do you  
remember when Germany, for instance, re-  
fused to recognize American naturalization,  
and forced into its military service any luck-  
less wight who chanced to go back to visit  
his old home in Germany, after having  
achieved success in this country?

Nicolai Lenin, premier of soviet Russia, is  
dead. Who is there to mourn? Lenin will  
go down in history as the great destroyer.  
He wielded his power and wrought ruin.

It's a changing world, when archaeology  
is almost as interesting as jazz dancing and  
prize-fighting.

# Tom Sims NEWSPAPER

EXTRA! ANTI-SOBER EXTRA!

## No Tongues Stepped on at Thirsty Meeting.

More than 1000 delegates attended the  
anti-dry meeting in Washington. The thirsty  
gathered to make faces at prohibition.  
Sober facts were presented. The law,  
they say, is making good drinks as plentiful  
as feathers on a gold fish, but it is making  
bad drinks as scarce as whiskers on Santa  
Claus.

## GOOD NEWS.

London is going dance crazy. This is fine.  
A dance craze will produce a great race of  
wrestlers.

## BAD NEWS.

Prisoners in the Carlinville (Ill.) jail got  
drunk. We need a better class of people in  
our jails.

## WORSE NEWS.

Brockton (Mass.) grandma bobbed her  
hair. Says she is only 35. A woman is as  
old as she bobs.

## CUSSING NEWS.

"Mah jongg is a menace," says a Tecny  
(Ill.) preacher. It is increasing our cuss  
words.

## SPORTS.

Stanford (Ky.) teacher's wife was his  
pupil. He spanked his pupil. Now she  
doesn't love her teacher. Imagine a woman  
trying to learn from her husband, or a hus-  
band teaching his wife anything.

## AVIATION NEWS.

Texas plane went nearly three miles in a  
minute, which is faster than a dollar buying  
coal.

## ADVERTISING.

The editor's pipe is missing. The pipe was  
chasing a cat yesterday and accidentally tore  
down a neighbor's garage. Answers to the  
name of Gumshoe. Liberal reward dead or  
alive.

## SCHOOL NEWS.

Henry Ford has bought his boyhood school,  
and now he can cut his initials on every desk.  
University of Washington offers a course in  
canning, but boys at many colleges get  
pickled.

## FASHIONS.

Berlin girls wear ankle-warmers. Ameri-  
can girls still dress to catch either a man or  
pneumonia.

## EDITORIAL.

The world is full of troubles. Fighting in  
Mexico. Talking in Europe. Scandal in  
Washington. Jack Dempsey got wrecked in  
a seaplane. People who enjoy worrying  
should be very happy.

## FINANCIAL.

New York will have an \$18,000,000 hotel.  
The news doesn't say if this is the cost or  
rate.

## MOVIE NOTES.

Man blacked Charlie Chaplin's eye in a  
restaurant fight, but there were no pies  
handy.

## SOCIETY.

When Mrs. Soc heard a Kentucky teacher  
spanked his wife she said, "My husband  
hasn't tried to hit me since just before I  
broke all the dishes over his head."

## HOME HELPS.

A stick of dynamite will remove phone  
numbers from the walls.



## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS by Olive Roberts Barton A WINKY BLINKY RIDDLE

My home's a garden where the flowers stay awake.

The Riddle Lady said next day 'n  
Riddle Land, "We have had several  
winter riddles, so this is a summer  
riddle. It's about something very  
small and bright and only seen on a  
summer night. Listen now, Nancy  
and Nick! Listen, everybody! Here's  
the riddle:  
"My home's a garden where the flow-  
ers stay wide awake for hours and hours,  
And then at dusk they fold up tight  
And say good-night."  
"But the house I rent—a big, red  
rose.  
Is not so sleepy I suppose,  
Because it does not shut up so!  
And out I go.  
"I am the watchman, if you please,  
I watch the flowers and garden trees,  
No one comes in, no one goes out,  
If I'm about.  
"My lantern winks and winks and  
winks,  
And Mister Moon he blinks and blinks,  
And so between us both, why we  
Watch carefully.  
"For fairies and the tricky elves  
Would just come in and help them-  
selves  
To leaves of this and buds of that,  
For dress and hat.

"And caterpillars! My, oh me!  
They're out for food—to get it free,  
They'd gobble stems and break off  
leaves,  
The greedy thieves!  
"I fly around 'most everywhere,  
I peep in here, I look in there!  
What would this lovely garden be  
Were it not for the moon and me?  
"I only go out when it's clear;  
And never when a storm is near.  
When thunder chashes, home I hug,  
Although I'm called a lightning  
bug."  
"Oh, dear!" cried Miss Muffet.  
"If you mean it's a lightning bug I  
wish you wouldn't say it in front of  
my daughter. Since that day with  
the spider, things like that upset her  
dreadfully."  
"But you have just said it your-  
self," the Riddle Lady exclaimed  
laughing. "Didn't she, Nancy?"  
"Why I declare!" And she  
declared, Miss Muffet. "And she  
doesn't look a bit nervous. She must  
be cured."  
"Of course I am," said Miss Muf-  
fet, speaking up for herself. "And as  
for lightning bugs, they are lovely.  
They always remind me of fairies."  
"Me, too!" said Nancy. "I love  
them, cute little things, with their  
winky, blinky lanterns."  
(To Be Continued)  
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## A Matter of Etiquette

BY BERTON BRALEY

When first they met each other he  
was four and she was three,  
And they hadn't read the Book of  
Etiquette;  
He was very, very friendly, but no  
friendlier than she,  
And they hadn't read the book of  
Etiquette.  
So without an introduction they made  
friends, as children will,  
And they went to school together  
through their childhood days until  
They both started off to college—they  
were quite grown up, but still  
They hadn't read the Book of Eti-  
quette.

He took her out to dances and he took  
her out to plays,  
And they hadn't read the Book of  
Etiquette;  
They were married to each other in  
their graduation days,  
And they hadn't read the Book of Et-  
quette.  
She was quite a dainty housewife and a  
mighty clever cook,  
And they had six lovely children in  
their snug suburban nook;  
Then one day she got a copy of a  
justly famous book,  
'Twas a copy of the Book of Etiquette.

Now the wife is out in Reno, she has  
left her little nook,  
For at last she's read the Book of  
Etiquette;  
She's been living with a husband who  
was never introduced,  
Which was frowned on by the Book  
of Etiquette.

When the tie that binds is severed,  
she'll undoubtedly essay  
To reconnect her former husband in a  
mole and proper way,  
And they'll then proceed to courtship  
and a second wedding day,  
All according to the Book of Etiquette.  
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## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The earth bringeth forth fruit of  
herself; first the blade, then the ear,  
after that the full corn in the ear.—  
Mark 4:28.

The feast is such as earth, the gener-  
al mother,  
Pours from her fairest bosom, when  
she smiles,  
In the embrace of autumn.  
—Shelley.

## TROUBLE IN THAT NAME

"Mrs. Jones, why does Mr. Jones  
keep on calling you Amelia?"  
"Because that is my name, child."  
"But mamma says your name is  
anathema to everybody who knows  
you."—The Humorist (London.)

The destructive Japanese beetle has  
gained a strong foothold in New Jer-  
sey.

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERN



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building.

Throughout the agricultural dis-  
tricts, it is insisted, the voters will  
not accept any half way positions on  
the roads. A candidate is either whole-  
heartedly for the general plan pro-  
posed by the governor or against it.  
There is no half-way ground, as a  
general rule.

If what the Democratic leaders  
have to say is founded on the actual  
situation, the hard roads proposal is  
the one and outstanding issue in the  
governorship battle in the April pri-  
maries, so far as the downstate dis-  
trict goes.

McKinley Support Hurts  
There is another phase of the pri-  
mary battle that is aiding the gov-  
ernor, according to these reports, and  
that is the support of Mr. Essington  
by United States Senator William B.  
McKinley.

There is no deep seated opposition  
to Senator McKinley. He is not un-  
popular out in the state, but the idea  
seems to have got pretty well across  
the prairies that his personal inter-  
ests would not be well served with  
thousands of miles of new hard roads  
in the state.

Mr. McKinley, as head of the Illi-  
nois Traction Company, and Mr. Mc-  
Kinley as senator are two different  
propositions in the public mind, ac-  
cording to views expressed by some  
of the country spokesmen. They say  
they don't blame him for trying to  
protect his own interests, but there  
is considerable skepticism in many  
districts as to whether the McKinley-  
Essington combination augurs well  
for hard road building on an exten-  
sive scale.

This view may do an injustice to  
the senator, but it is being board-  
casted, nevertheless, all over the  
state and is said to be doing a lot  
of damage to the Essington fences.

The Governor, meanwhile, is re-  
ported to be getting across in good  
style with his reply to the Essington  
promoters, who claim that Small  
would increase taxes by his plan.

The Governor's literature, holding  
that not a dollar of the road build-  
ing expense will come out of direct  
taxation, but will all come from the  
automobile license fee, is said to be  
striking home without much difficul-  
ty.

Coupled with this, the Small spell-  
binders are telling the voters that  
the attempt to make it appear that  
taxes will be raised by the road plan  
should be taken as an excuse for op-  
posing any comprehensive plan at all  
if the opposition should win in the  
primaries.

Essington elected Governor, the  
Small people are telling the farmers,  
the new administration could again  
insist that they should go slow with  
road building for fear of raising taxes  
and in the end could delay or practi-  
cally stop any big scale work for at  
least four years.

If the people out in the state really  
want hard roads that will benefit the  
entire state, Small's stump speakers  
are saying, then the only safe bet is  
to tie up to Small and go all the  
route.

Appropriation Veto Helps  
Another theme, according to leaders

in St. Clair County, that is aiding  
Small is his veto of Attorney General  
Brundage's appropriations. One of  
the East St. Louis Democratic chiefs  
explained that while Chicagoans  
don't think much of a million-  
dollar appropriation for the attorney  
general, the farmers of this county  
look upon such a sum with some  
amazement.

After the Chicagoans had checked  
up on these reports they went home  
convinced that Small has a much bet-  
ter chance of being nominated than  
they had thought before they had  
journeyed to the state convention.

Knifings Planned  
Confidential reports said to be in  
possession of the Chicago Democratic  
chiefs indicate that Essington is going  
to be knifed in many sections, by  
reason of deals that will help both  
Senator McCormick and Mr. Deneen  
in some sections, and without McCor-  
mick or Deneen being parties to the  
agreements.

Whatever may be the merit of the  
earful Chicagoans got at the state  
convention as to Small's strength, the  
big chiefs are already getting ready  
for the style of a campaign they will  
pursue in the event of Small's nomi-  
nation.

Incidentally, some of the foremost  
leaders went back to Chicago about  
convinced that Essington would be  
easier to beat in November than  
Small.



BEWARE OF DOPE  
The money annually wasted on nar-  
cotics or what is commonly called  
dope in the United States is more  
than a billion dollars. A proportion

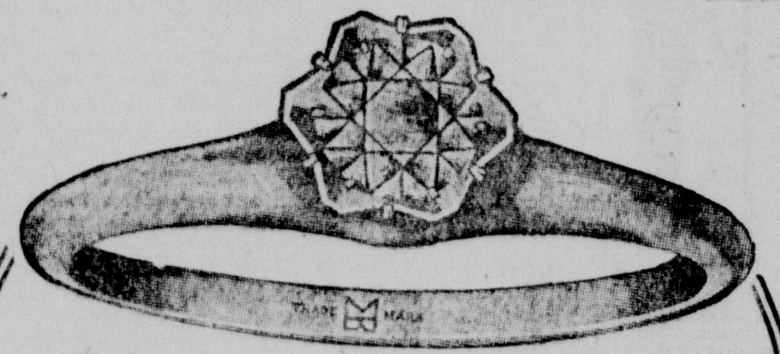
ately small amount of this vast sum  
would build and equip enough hospi-  
tals and sanitariums, camps and col-  
onies to practically stamp out this  
monster evil.

By some strange twist of the  
imagination, the drug addict, dope  
fiend, snow bird or coke hound never  
seems to figure out the end of the  
perfect day or dream of delight in  
which he revels. In the meantime  
there is poverty and plenty of it,  
family breakups, loss of employment  
and physical degeneration.

As a physician who has seen many  
such persons in their almost hope-  
less situations I give you, who are  
still on the high road of health, a  
timely warning: beware of the first  
temptation in enlisting the aid of  
any narcotic as succor from pain  
or sorrow. Headache mixtures are  
frequently made up of dangerous  
poisons, such as antipyrin, acetami-  
d and phenacetin. They readily  
affect the heart and circulation.  
Their use is a stepping-stone to  
more dope in order to quiet the a-  
ready outraged nerves and glands.

Doctor Carleton Simon of New  
York City, in an address before the  
Eastern Homeopathic Medical Asso-  
ciation, had this to say about substi-  
tutes for drugs in the near future:  
"I look for the establishment of  
international agreement of chemical  
plants where non-habit forming syn-  
thetical substances will be prepared.  
Chemists will prepare for us on a  
commercial basis synthetical sub-  
stances which will be identical in  
their chemical construction and in  
their physical effects as are the prod-  
ucts derived at present from nar-  
cotic plants, and thus make it un-  
profitable to cultivate the natural  
products. Cocaine and heroin will in  
a short time be universally made syn-  
thetically, as is indigo."

CANADIANS WIN  
Chamonix, Jan. 28.—(By The Acco-  
rated Press)—Canada defeated Czech  
Slovakia 3-0 in their Olympic hockey  
game today.



## Resetting Makes A New Diamond Ring

Much of the beauty of a diamond ring is in  
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## DISTRICT C. OF C. MEETS THURSDAY AT ROCK ISLAND

Dixon Chamber Interested  
in Sessions to Be  
Held There.

A conference on business and legislation will be conducted by the Illinois Chamber of Commerce at the Masonic Temple at Rock Island on Thursday. It will be attended by members of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce and of the local chambers of the Fourth District, which embraces the following counties in the northwestern section of the state: Joe Davis, Stephenson, Carroll, Ogles, Whiteside, Lee, Bureau, Henry, Rock Island and Mercer. This meeting is the first of six to be held throughout Illinois and marks the beginning of a campaign by the Illinois Chamber in behalf of bigger and better business for all retailers. Some of the most prominent and successful business men in Illinois will be in attendance and deliver addresses.

The morning program calls for addresses by C. F. Kurtz of the C. F. Kurtz Company of Rock Island and A. C. Vandergriff, Moline, President of the Illinois Retail Merchants Association, on the subject, "What Can Retailers Do For Themselves Through Their Local Chambers of Commerce?" This will be followed by ten-minute reports by delegates from chambers of commerce throughout northwestern Illinois on "Stunts That Have Helped the Merchants of My Town." The concluding feature of the morning session will be an address on "How to Make Buying Easier for Customers," and a question box on retail problems, both conducted by H. J. Kleefisch, Manager Custom Service Department, Butler Brothers, Chicago. President John H. Camlin of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce will preside at this session.

The noon session will be presided over by Harry H. Cleveland, Vice President of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce, and will be devoted to the discussion of the topic, "Interrelationships of Business." President Camlin will speak on "Problems of Business for 1924." Stuyvesant Peabody, President of the Peabody Coal Company, Chicago, the largest soft coal miners in the world, will deliver an address on "The Interrelationships of Business."

Two sessions will be held beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon. The first will be a conference of the Legislative Committee of the Illinois Chamber and will be presided over by President Camlin. The second will be a New Industries Conference, presided over by Vice President Harry H. Cleveland.

At the latter conference C. M. Thompson, Dean of the School of Commerce of University of Illinois, will speak on "How a Chamber of Commerce Should Analyze Its Community Before Starting a Campaign for New Factories," and P. F. Mc-

Manus, General Superintendent of Elgin, Joliet & Eastern Railroad, will speak on "Things to Do and Things Not to Do in Building Up the Industries in Your City." Talks on "Co-operation of the Railroads in Locating New Industries," will be made by J. A. Stewart, Industrial Commissioner, Rock Island Railway, and George Bonnell, Industrial Agent, Chicago & North Western Railway.

The evening session will be presided over by President G. Wm. Roth of the Rock Island Chamber of Commerce and will, like the morning session, be devoted to retail problems. James R. O'Connell, Advertising and Sales Promotion Manager, Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Wholesale, Chicago, will deliver an address on "How to Make More Money for Yourself and Your Store." This session will be for the benefit both of proprietors of retail stores and their clerks. The Retail Merchants council of Rock Island has pledged an attendance of 250 for this session and a similar number has been promised by the Business Men's Association of Moline. The morning session will be mainly for the benefit of proprietors and it is expected that the members of all retail houses in Moline, Rock Island, East Moline and Silvis will be in attendance, as well as delegates from other towns and cities throughout northwestern Illinois.

Every one interested in better business is invited to attend all the sessions of this conference, as all meetings will be open to the public.

Nearly 44,000 of Iceland's 94,879 inhabitants are engaged in agricultural pursuits.

### ABE MARTIN



"There's nothin' unusual in borrowin' chairs and dishes for a party, but when they ask if borrow one's boot-leger things are goin' purty fer," said Tell Binkley, t' day. Th' servant problem gits worse! worse, 'specially th' public servant problem.

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## Bird Houses And How To Build Them

### VI-CARE OF HOUSES

Each spring, before birds return from the south, all filth and litter should be carefully removed from bird houses.

In addition to the relics of previous occupancy, houses are likely to contain cocoons of insects and nests of bees and squirrels. Attention to this one item of spring cleaning is a substantial factor in attaching birds permanently to their houses.

A little sulphur scattered about the house is a good remedy for parasites.

Birds have numerous enemies from which a careful landlord will try to guard them. Among these is the English sparrow, whose persistent attacks too often drive more desirable birds away from their nests and from the neighborhood.

Those who wish to free their premises of sparrows will find recommendations in Farmers' Bulletin 493, which can be obtained from the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Cats and large snakes are enemies of birds, the former perhaps killing more birds than any other mammal. Trees and piles, supporting houses, should be sheathed with tin or galvanized iron to prevent these enemies from climbing to the nests. See figure 14.

Squirrels give more or less trouble by gnawing houses, eating eggs and killing nestlings. Red squirrels, in particular, have a very bad reputation in this respect, and many experimenters keep their grounds free of them. Even gray and fox squirrels are occasionally troublesome.

If it is not necessary, however, that bird lovers should wage indiscriminate warfare against all squirrels, it is far better to adopt the rule never to kill a squirrel unless there is a reason to believe that it has acquired the habit of eating eggs or young birds.

Where squirrels are numerous they give more or less trouble by gnawing and otherwise disfiguring houses. This may be prevented by covering the parts about the entrance with tin or zinc.

Prepared from information furnished by Ned Dearborn, assistant biologist, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

### RADIO PROGRAM

WHAT'S IN THE AIR TOMORROW:  
Chicago, Jan. 30.—(By the Associated Press)—Programs to be broadcast Thursday, Jan. 31.

(Central Standard Time)  
(By Courtesy of Radio Digest)  
KYKA, 1 E. Pittsburgh (326), 5:15 p. m., Dinner concert; 6:30 Farmers' Period; 6:45, Children's period; 7:30, Orchestra; Artists; 10:30, late evening concert.

KFKX, Hastings, Neb. (283), Re-broadcasts program of KDKA.  
KHL, Los Angeles (395) 8:45-9:30 p. m., children's program; 10-12 Program; 12-2, orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco (423), 8:9 p. m., Dinner concert; 10-11, Organ; 11-12, Program; 12-1 Dance music.

KSD, St. Louis, Post-Dispatch (549) 8 p. m., Classical program.

KYW, Chicago, (536), 6:50 p. m., Children's bedtime story; 8, Musical program; 9:15 program.

WBAP, Fort Worth, Star-Telegram, (476), 7:30 p. m., concert; 9:30, orchestra.

WCAP, Washington (469), 6:15 p. m., Orchestra; 9, Dance music.

WDFA, Kansas City Star (411), 6 p. m., School of the Air; 11:45, Night-hawk frolic.

WDAP, Chicago, (360), 10 p. m., program, orchestra.

WDAR Philadelphia (Eastern, 395), 6:30 p. m., Talk.

WEAF, New York, (492), 6:40-12, Entertainment, Music, Orchestra.

WFAA, Dallas, News, (476), 8:30 p. m., Musical program.

WGR, Buffalo, (319) 5:30 p. m., Orchestra; 6:30, News; 8:45, Speeches.

WGY, Schenectady, (380), 6:45 p. m., Radio Drama.

WGY, Schenectady (380), 6:45 p. m., Radio Drama.

WHAS, Louisville (400), 7:30 p. m., Musical Program, Talks.

WHN, New York, (360) 8:15 p. m., Orchestra; 9:30, Orchestra; 1:15 Dance music.

WJAX, Cleveland, (290), 8 p. m., Concert.

WJAZ, Chicago (447.7), 10 p. m., musical program.

WJZ, New York (455) 6 p. m., Children's stories; 6:30, Lecture; 7, Talks; 7:15, Organ; 8, 8:15, Recital; 9:15 Popular Program; 9:30, Dance Program.

WLAG, Minneapolis-St. Paul (417), 6:15 p. m., Orchestra; 7:30, Farm Lectures.

WLW, Cincinnati (309) 10 p. m., Trio 10:30, Zither Quartet; 11, Dance Orchestra.

WMAQ, Chicago News, (447.5) 7 p. m., Talks; 7:30, Jazz Music; 8:30, Orchestra; 9:15, Musical program.

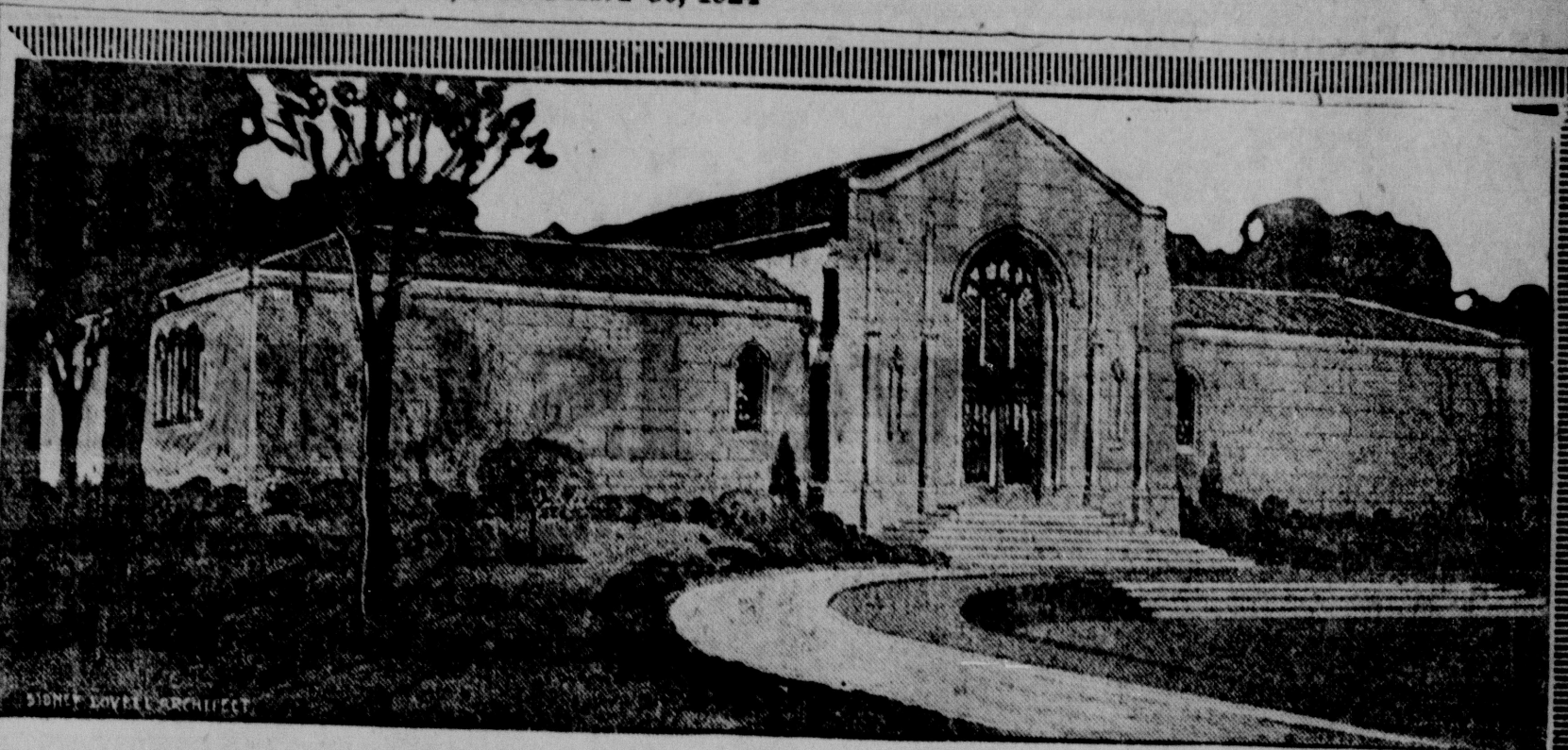
WM, Memphis, (500), 8:30 p. m., Orchestra.

WOC, Davenport (484) 6:30 p. m., Children's hour; 8, Orchestra, Baritone.

WOR, Newark, (405), 5 p. m., Music; 5:30, Orchestra.

WWJ, Detroit, News, (517), 7:30 p. m., Orchestra; 9, Dance Music; 10, Orchestra.

The United States had a flaxseed crop of 11,700,000 bushels in 1922.



## Oakwood Memorial Mausoleum

Too many, it would seem, regard death too lightly, or even do not respect its certainty at all. It is just as urgent that one should provide a clean, sanitary, everlasting abode for himself and those dependent on him, as that he provide a shelter, a home for his loved ones on earth. Seldom does a man consider the error he has committed in thus thrusting on his some time lonely loved one, that duty which should have been theirs together, of planning for the long sleep, and so when it occurs that, once a loving wife, is grief stricken and sorrow laden, a widow, that at that time the added burden of choosing is laid upon her to bend her deeper in despair.

How better it is, how relieved to know, that by the better way, they have chosen a place wherein with the passing years its beauties will be augmented and its ideal of protection and tender care for they who rest will find expression to the fullest in its enduring guardianship. Even the most orthodox cannot but feel an instinctive belief in the reality of the resurrection and an innate desire to say with the poet:—

"Take them, O Grave, and let them lie  
Folded upon thy narrow shelves  
As garments by thy soul laid by  
And sacred only to ourselves."

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Old Mission Maus., Wichita, Kans.	1000
Mt. Hope Abbey, Independence, Kans.	500
Oakwood Maus., Saginaw, Mich.	800
Caro Maus., Caro, Mich.	250
Deepdale Maus., Lansing, Mich.	450

Name—Location	No. of Crypts
Pipue Maus., Pipue, Ohio	600
Norfolk Maus., Norfolk, Va.	900
Rosehill Maus., Oklahoma City, Okla.	450
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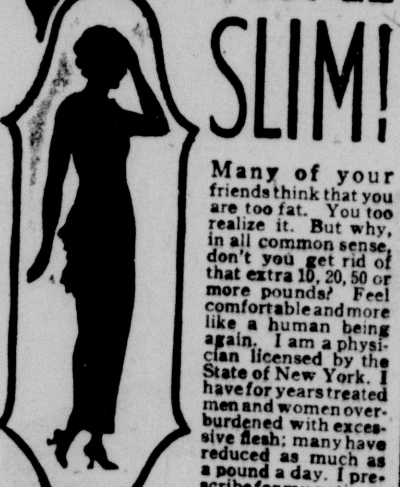
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And sometimes we, struggling and striving for gold, become discouraged in our effort to get ahead. Yet let one of our loved ones be in danger and we willingly give all we have and all we can mortgage in our blind efforts to try to save them.

Indeed—truth is stranger than fiction, love is greater than gold but too often we do not realize it until too late.

Fiction would indeed seem but a fabrication of lies were it to tell such a tale as this.

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If you knew that you were to be one of the next misfortunates surely not all the gold you possess, nor all you could borrow could keep you from making provision for your loved ones. Their welfare is really what you are working for.

Then realize the truth—know your danger—provide for your loved ones now while you can— and you can at practically no cost under the plan provided by this newspaper.

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Will pay the following amounts, subject to the terms of the policy, for death or injuries—

If Assured shall, during the term of One Year from the beginning of the insurance covering such Assured, as provided in Policy, by the wrecking or disablement or any railroad Passenger Car or Passenger Steamship or Steamboat, in or on which Assured is traveling as a fare-paying passenger, or by the wrecking or disablement of any Public Omnibus, Street Railway Car, Taxicab, or Automobile Stage, which is being driven or operated, at the time of such wrecking or disablement, by a licensed driver plying for public hire, and in which such Assured is traveling as a fare-paying passenger, or by the wrecking or disablement of any private horse-drawn vehicle, or motor-driven car in which Assured is riding or driving, or by being accidentally thrown from such vehicle or car, suffer any of the specific losses set forth below, THE COMPANY WILL PAY the sum set opposite such loss:

#### If Killed While Traveling

	Value First Year	Increase Each Year	Value After Fifth Year
Life (in travel)	\$1000	\$100	\$1500
Both hands	1000	100	1500
Both feet	1000	100	1500
Sight of both eyes	1000	100	1500
One hand and one foot	1000	100	1500
One hand and sight of one eye	1000	100	1500
One foot and sight of one eye	1000	100	1500
Either hand	500	50	750
Either foot	500	50	750
Sight of either eye	500	50	750

#### Specific Indemnities to Pedestrians

	Value First Year	Increase Each Year	Value After Fifth Year
Life	\$250.00	25.00	\$375.00
Both hands	250.00	25.00	375.00
Both feet	250.00	25.00	375.00
Sight of both eyes	250.00	25.00	375.00
One hand and one foot	250.00	25.00	375.00
One hand and sight of one eye	250.00	25.00	375.00
One foot and sight of one eye	250.00	25.00	375.00
Either hand	125.00	12.50	187.50
Either foot	125.00	12.50	187.50
Sight of either eye	125.00	12.50	187.50

If Assured shall, during the term of One Year from the beginning of the insurance covering such Assured, as provided in Policy, by the means and conditions recited above, be immediately and wholly disabled and prevented by injuries so received, from performing any and every duty pertaining to his or her usual business or occupation, THE COMPANY WILL PAY for a period not exceeding three (3) consecutive months ACCIDENT INDEMNITY AT THE RATE OF TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00) PER WEEK.

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ever wrote  
some tale as  
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What would  
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FOR SALE—Nurses record sheets. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

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FOR SALE—Three 8-foot Oak Coat Cases, glass doors, Welsh cases, seven sections with alcove mirrors; glove case, sweater case, drawer base; two 8-foot floor cases, ball bearing drawers. Display tables. Going at sacrifice. Abbott's Shoppe, Sterling, Ill.

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FOR SALE—Child's iron bed; high sides with sliding drop side. Call at 524 West First St.

COMBINATION SALE—At Ben Baus' feed barn Saturday, Feb. 2nd, commencing at 1 o'clock. Horses, cattle, hogs, farm machinery, household goods, etc. Ira Rutt, Auctioneer; J. N. Dockery, Clerk.

FOR SALE—Soda fountain in good condition. Enquire at Daniels Confectionary, Rock Falls, Ill.

FOR SALE—My store fixtures, including candy, cigars and tobacco, cases, soda fountain, chairs, tables, etc. New building to be erected and I must sell at once. John Miller, 222 West First St.

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LOST—Gold watch last evening on Galena avenue. Watch is on gold bracelet. Reward. Phone 26 or 477.

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## THE POISONED GIRL

BEGIN HERE TODAY

A novelist, seeking nocturnal adventure, waits in Grosvenor Square, London. Perceiving a silent figure in white standing motionless against a railing he investigates. He finds a girl in evening dress and beside her a man. The man declares he is a passerby who wonders what is going on.

To every advance made by the two men the girl replies, "Go away." Finally she says she has taken poison and wants to die. The novelist asks the strange man to take a taxi to take her to the hospital. The girl fights to jump from the cab, falling at the hospital early the following morning. She reproaches him for saving her life.

The nurse in charge explains that the girl is recovering but says that she has had a very narrow escape from death. The nurse asks the girl to give her name and home address.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

A smile crossed the girl's features as she said: "Lady Grace Tarset. My address is 216 Grosvenor Square."

"What?" said the sister, and moved her eyebrows as if to say: "She's wandering."

"Yes," said Lady Grace, "what's the matter? My father's the Marquis of Gowran. Perhaps someone would let him know, since you've all been kind enough to prevent me dying when I wanted to."

There was a silence, but her words carried conviction: "Very well, your ladyship," said the sister, but I stopped her.

"Don't telephone yet," I said. "And, by the way, don't tell anybody about this. Don't tell anybody of any kind. Otherwise there may be trouble."

As soon as the sister left me, Lady Grace turned to me and said: "Why did you tell her that? My father must be awfully anxious."

"I know, but do you think he'll want this to get about? Don't you see it's got into the papers?"

"I don't care."

"But he'll care. What I want to do, if you'll let me, is to go and see him in a few minutes. And no doubt he'll be able to get you removed in an ambulance this morning, and nobody will know."

She sighed: "Just as you like. I know you mean to be kind. I suppose I ought to thank you for saving my life. I don't."

"Life isn't as bad as it looks to-day," I told her. "And even if it is, even if it is agony, don't be afraid of emotion. Don't be afraid of being hurt; while you're capable of feeling pain, you are living, and all life is glorious."

She looked interested, then gave a cynical little laugh: "That's all very well. I know. Life is as fully as you can, but not when it's full of misery."

I gripped her hand closer. "Look here," I said. "I fear I'm very impetuous, but after all, events have brought us into unusually close touch. Tell me why you tried to kill yourself. I'll be discreet, and if anything can be done to help you, I swear I'll do it."

She pressed my hand slightly, and her smile was less cynical. "You're very kind, but I'm afraid you can't do anything. I don't mind telling you. I don't mind telling anything. I'm in love with a man. His name is Carlo Scarlati. He's a pianist."

"Yes," I said. "I know his name."

"I suppose it's silly of me, but I met him after one of his concerts, and I couldn't help loving him. Of course, he never forgave me, for we'd quarreled before. So . . . I don't know. I swallowed the tablets, I anything. I just stood there waiting to die."

She paused. When her tears stopped, I wiped her eyes. Then, bending down to her, I said: "Now, don't cry. It'll be all right. I'll go round and see your father now; he'll have you taken away this morning. As for Mr. Scarlati . . . I'm going to get him back for you."

MY interview with the marquise was short; he obviously considered it infernal impertinence for me to have his daughter's life. He said he suspected me of some murder, but he was trying to kill myself. I had to do everything, to the telephone for an ambulance, to ring the bell for the palatial car, so that he might order his car. Finally, I got him and the vehicle off to the hospital. Of one thing I felt sure: if Lady Grace was still deep from the effects of laudanum, I had sent her somebody who would wake her up.

Now came the more delicate part of the business. I had to find Mr. Scarlati, which was easy, and to bring him back to the lady with

"How did you get to know your second husband?"

"Oh, it was he who ran over my first in his motor."—Journal Amusant.

Electrical wires fixed in wards of the London Hospital will record the heartbeats of patients on a drum in the research department, in another part of the building. This will make it unnecessary to disturb patients.

Pocket gophers, living near Los Angeles, show no appreciable differences from the fossil gophers which lived in California 200,000 years ago.

Guns are used to harpoon whales now, and there is little danger to whalers.

Nearly 365,000 miles of binder twine—almost enough to go around the world 19 times, was required to bind the bumper wheat crop this year in the province of Alberta.

The bureau of Jewish research reports that the United States now leads the world in Jewish population. New York has more than five times as many Jews as Vienna or Warsaw.

If the population of South Africa goes on increasing in the present ratio, within the next fifty years the white population will have grown to 4,000,000, while the blacks will number 27,000,000, it is estimated.

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whose karma I had interfered. Here was a difficult job, but by saving the girl's life I had made myself responsible for it. If I didn't want to trouble myself with her, then I ought to have been like the rogger, avoided getting myself mixed up. Moreover, the situation struck me as most unpleasant. I have no prejudice about class, or nationality, but I have known pianists, including Italian pianists. The idea of resorting to the adorable creature I had rescued into the arms of this organ-grinder was not attractive. I wasn't at all sure that it wouldn't have been better if she'd committed suicide, rather than marry him. Only she'd tried to commit suicide because she couldn't marry him. There was no doubting it. I must hand her over, if I could, to the rolling eye and the raven locks. Disgusting! Still, it was the man who'd broken the match off; he was no fortune hunter; perhaps Scarlati was a decent sort.

He was easily located, for two days before he had given a recital at the Albert Hall, where I obtained the name of his hotel. At this hotel, however, a great disappointment would have overwhelmed me if the habit of adventure had not been so cautious. Realizing that my mission was delicate, and that it might not be easy to see Scarlati, I decided to impersonate one of the employees of the concert hall, which dealt with Scarlati's affairs. Thus, I still had some sort of status when the reception clerk informed me that Mr. Scarlati had left the hotel by a morning train.

"Oh," I said, remembering my part, "that's very extraordinary. We understood that he wouldn't leave till next week."

Fortunate shot! "We didn't know at all," said the reception clerk. "I suppose he changed his plans."

"Do you know his address?" I asked.

"No. He said that his letters were to be sent to your agency."

That was a pretty obstacle. Evidently Scarlati had intentionally covered his tracks. He was feeding from Lady Grace. But, courage! though I, the whole continent shall not hold him. Still, the continent is a large place, and if I had to wait until news of Scarlati came through the press, Lady Grace might . . . By Jove, I'd got it. I remembered that one of Scarlati's contrivances was to refuse to play upon any piano other than his own. The instrument was accommodated with a special railway truck, which followed the musician everywhere. He might have hastened his departure, but you can't hustle a grand piano so quickly as all that. So I returned to the hotel.

"I say," I remarked to the reception clerk, "I'm awfully sorry, but I was so surprised by your telling me that Mr. Scarlati had gone that I forgot to inquire about his piano."

"Oh, we've got it all clear about the piano," said the clerk, irritably. "It'll go tonight."

"Is it properly labeled?"

"I should say so," replied the clerk. "We've had enough trouble with that piano as it is. You can go up for yourself and see, if you like."

"Up" was a manner of speaking, since the piano was in the basement. Anyhow, a boy in buttons conducted me through stone passages to a little room where stood a piano already crated; upon each leg was nailed a label reading: Scarlati, Hotel Superbe, Brussels.

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It was not too late to catch the morning train, and since there was no point in reaching Brussels in the middle of the night, I waited for a brief operation. I had time to return to Grosvenor Square, where I was told that Lady Grace was in and could see nobody. After endless parleys with the butler, and further difficulties put in my way by a bobbed, modern fapper, I was taken to the room, where I was welcomed by a nurse, who reluctantly left the room and presumably hid behind the keyhole. My sleeping beauty was less well now.

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Night Letter From Sydney Carton to P. P. Alden Prescott.

P. P. Alden Prescott. Will probably be in your city. Bigger get Leslie out of the town when you know for sure when she is coming. Think she means business. Young man by name of Summers traveling with her as business manager. I shall not be back for three months. Keep me advised. SYD.

Telephone Conversation Between Leslie Prescott and Ruth Ellington.

"I would like to speak to Mrs. Ellington."

"This is she."

"Hello, Ruth, I didn't recognize your voice."

"Is that you, Leslie, when did you get back?"

"Last night."

"I guess you think I am a big fool, Leslie."

"Perhaps you did the same thing I would have done myself, but anyway, you certainly have kicked up a mess. If you had to put that money in my safe, why did you wait until so late in the afternoon?"

"Well, you see, Leslie, I was awfully busy until just before closing and I thought I could get away before Jack came in. We he awfully angry?"

"Very. He told me never to speak to you again. He seems to think Harry sent you that money to pay on his debts and that you were putting it to your own use."

"Can you beat that, Leslie? To think that Jack of all men could expect Harry Ellington, who betrayed him in every way possible, could ever send him back a cent of the money he stole from him. He is mighty quick to say 'the woman did it.'"

"Don't feel hurt, Ruth. I wouldn't have told it to you at all, but we have got to reach some plan of action in the matter."

"What have you already told Jack, Leslie?"

"I declined to tell him anything."

"Perhaps you had better tell him the truth."

"Think a minute and you will find that I cannot do that. I will try and see you tomorrow, however. In the meantime I have had a number of packages sent to your shop. I bought some lovely things for you to sell."

"Are you sending the money back to Struble & Struble today?"

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TOMORROW: Sally Atherton writes to Leslie Prescott—Before starting work for Jack.

ON THE ALLEYS

Chapman's top notch Pen Oil bowlers were humiliated last evening when Hartzell's gang took two games of the series and piled up a high count by the following scores:

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Winking Chapman 176 168 174

Lyman 168 166 199

Hess 168 174 178

Powell 162 174 177

Moore 163 137 129

Totals 814 821 857

Hartzell's



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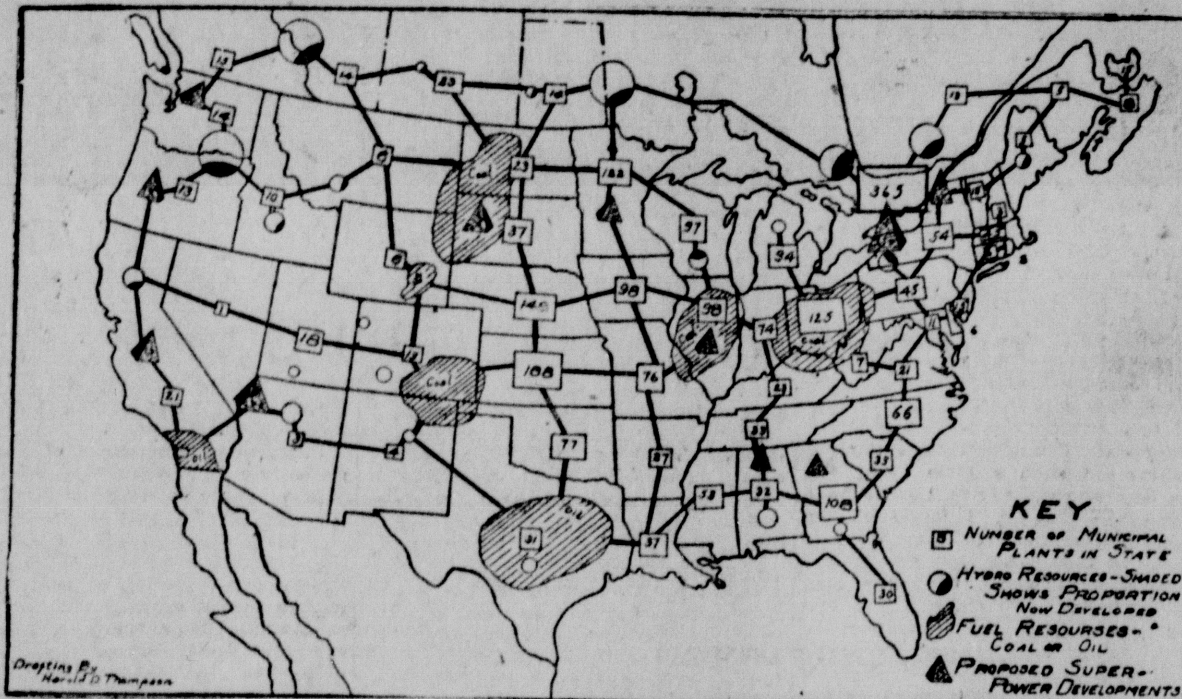
"Is it practical?" Thompson counters that question. "It is demonstrated reality already. The rates of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, Canada, is proof. More than a million customers of this system use current at an average cost of 2½ cents per kilowatt hour. In American cities, we average three times that much."

"Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario system, fought until this became a reality. He is active now as president of the Public Ownership League, in making a unit of power production in the two countries."

Super-power means simply more



HERE ARE FIGURES AND FACTS CONNECTED WITH THE PLAN TO WELD THE POWER RESOURCES OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA INTO ONE COLOSSAL SUPER-POWER PROJECT UNDER PUBLIC OWNERSHIP. SIR ADAM BECK, CHAIRMAN, AND (RIGHT) CARL D. THOMPSON, SECRETARY OF THE PUBLIC OWNERSHIP LEAGUE OF AMERICA. CENTERED IS A CHART SHOWING THE PROPOSED MOBILIZATION OF POWER RESOURCES.



and cheaper electricity supplied from a unified system which generates by both water power and steam plants.

Nearly 20,000,000 horsepower now running away down our stream beds would be harnessed into the system. Coal, instead of being hauled in bulk,

would turn dynamos at the mine mouth and send out its energy by wire.

A federal super-power commission to direct and control the development is the first step to realize the dream, says Thompson. It would not only de-

velop generating plants but lay out main trunk lines for distribution of current. The 2318 municipally owned electric plants, some of them in every American state, would be the starting points to be linked into the new system.

For hydro-electric production, attention would center upon the Colorado, Columbia and Mississippi river systems, and Niagara Falls and the St. Lawrence River. Muscle Shoals would be kept under public control, completed and placed in service.

Next would be the Boulder Canyon dam on the Colorado River, for which a bill already has been introduced in Congress. That dam would be 600 feet high, cost \$40,000,000, furnish 750 continuous horsepower and irrigate 1,000,000 acres.

## Underworld Nights by Alexander Herman NEA SERVICE WRITER.

No. 3—UNDERWORLD WIRELESS



THEY WERE FRISKING US.

In the heart of the White Light District, where red lights might well be twinkling, lies the Slasher's hangout.

But we couldn't find him when we went looking for him at his apartment, his eating place, his cigar shop, or any of the other joints where he usually hangs out. So we asked one of his henchmen who was watching us. He said that he didn't know.

As soon as we turned away, he flashed the word that somebody was looking for the chief. It took less than three minutes for the warning, broadcast by this underworld wireless, to reach the theater where the Slasher was watching a burlesque show with some broad.

He came out at once, and his mob edged in.

They weren't taking any chances. Perhaps we were new bulls, brought in for a special clean-up.

Before we could get to the Slasher, several of the gang brushed past us. They were frisking us.

But I soon proved that I was not and was accepted as a friend. The Slasher gave a sign and the mob dispersed. Then he hailed a taxi, put his girl in and turned back.

"Glad to get rid of her," he said. "She's an old clug."

We stood around a while and chatted. Suddenly came a nudge.

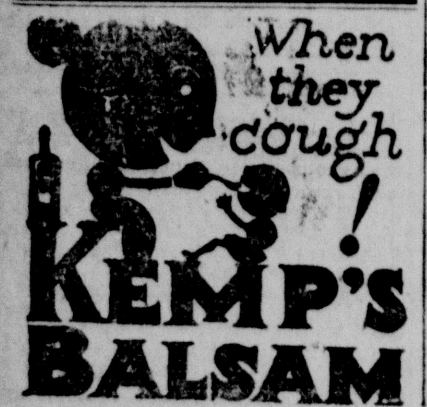
"Walk," the Slasher whispered. And I did. But I wanted to know why.

"Didn't you see The Law go by?" I looked around. Two plainclothes-

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men from Headquarters were sizing us up.

We increased our gait. The mob closed in. We got away.

We walked up Broadway, past the Roaring Forties, just a stone's throw from Times Square. Thousands of pleasure seekers from all over the country were hurrying along, rubbing shoulders with the Underworld's greatest thugs, gangsters and murderers—and never knew it.

#### GANG-TIONARY

Blot: O. K.: A friend of the mob. Broad: Any women of the Underworld.

Bulls: Policemen.

Clug: A kill-joy—usually applied to a woman.

Dick: A detective or plainclothes man.

To frisk: To search for weapons.

To schmeer: To bribe.



### THIS LITTLE WORLD

LONDON  
BY MILTON BRONNER  
NEA Service Writer

LONDON—A deadly dull blight has settled upon London theaters, probably until April. It's an annual disease called "pantos," British for pantomimes.

Because in the days of their great-

ness, the theaters used to be given over in the Christmas season to the pantomime form of entertainment.

The managers do the same now. Dramas, operas, comedies are swept off the boards.

The pretense here is that the pantos are put on for the delight of the children because Christmas is their season. But the pantos go on and on seemingly forever and they draw packed houses nightly—of adults.

There is one phase of tipping that is unknown in the states because Uncle Sam wouldn't tolerate it. Here, when Christmas comes, your faithful letter carrier doesn't rely on your generosity. He practically demands it.

The men who serve you delegate one of their number as collector. He enters the names of all the people on their joint beat. Then he presents the book to the various people and they are supposed to write down the amounts of kale they are willing to contribute to the postman's Christmas box.

I ran across Sinclair Lewis, famous American novelist, the other day in Fleet street. Lewis by now knows his London and Paris as well as, or even better than, he knows New York. He told me he had to spend the summer

at Fontainebleau near Paris and is now living here.

We went to the place where his next novel is being written. It's a delightful room in the Temple, that enclosure sacred to the legal profession of London. Many people wouldn't think it delightful, because the room is not particularly bright and it is heated by a little grate fire. But it has something you could get nowhere else in London and not at all in rushing New York or any other big American town—absolute quiet and isolation.

It's a perfect retreat away from the people who want to buy Lewis a meal or want him to buy them one. Away from the panhandlers and the gossips.

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NEW YORK—Bobby Wolgast, Phil-

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Mrs. Geo. Schmucker	A. E. Sinclair	Orville Smith	W. H. Flemming
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Jno. Howell	R. L. Vest	Mrs. Dell Knapp	Golden Rule
Mrs. Clark Richard	F. C. Sproul	Mrs. C. B. Swartz	Dixon Grocery
Mrs. N. H. Long	F. C. Sproul	Rev. Whitcomb	Dixon Grocery
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MONTREAL—The Montreal Athletic Commission adopted a resolution declaring it would license Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, now living in Montreal, if he will pass an examination by the commission's physicians.

NEW YORK—The Firpo-Wills fight next July will be held in a sunken concrete stadium to be built close to New York. It was stated by members of the promotion syndicate which Firpo has joined.

ATLANTA—Young Stribling, Macon, Ga., light heavyweight, outpointed Bill Shade of New York.

BUENOS AIRES—Luis Firpo has received a cablegram from Tex Rickard advising him not to sign a contract with any other promoter unless he had had further negotiations with Rickard. Firpo asserted that in view of his acceptance of the offer for a fight with Harry Wills there was nothing he could say in reply to Rickard unless the Wills negotiations should fall through.

GUAYMALLEN, Argentina—The municipal council voted on the name of a new street, calling it Luis Angel Firpo against choosing Vicente Lopez, author of the Argentine national anthem.

MINNEAPOLIS—Battling Siki is due from Chicago for his ten round battle Thursday night with Joe Lohman light heavyweight. At least the promoters expect him. They were notified he had been placed aboard a train at Chicago last night after he had missed one train.

MINNEAPOLIS—Dr. William Foster of Minneapolis has been appointed coach of the University of Minneapolis gymnastic team it was reported.

NEW YORK—Paul Florence, sensational catcher and all-around athlete

of Georgetown University, was sought by 13 other major league clubs, before he signed for 1924 with the New York Giants.

MILWAUKEE—Joe Jackson, former White Sox player resumed the stand in his trial against Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago American League team, for back pay. The suit is the outgrowth of the 1919 world's series baseball "scandal." Jackson denied he played dishonestly or even disinterestedly in the 1919 series.



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